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Dr. Josua Lederberg
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P a l o A l t o , C a l i f .

Dear Professor Lederberg:

During my roundtrip through the States in the last five weeks I had good opportunities to discuss with workers on DNA monomolecular films and electron microscopists the possibilities which ~~ly~~ in some features of the work of our group at Frankfurt. We can demonstrate from isolated pure DNA single filaments of the macromolecules, measure the length distribution on individual preparations and our interests go in the direction to show the whole DNA content of single bacterial nuclei by the combination of the concerned methods. Unfortunately, my reprints of some electron micrographs with comments (as a preprint of some papers now in press) are exhausted so that you can receive any fully given impression on the topics of the investigations only by any special account like Dr. Bradley's from the Department of Microbiology, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, or by an opportunity of a informal visit of myself. In the time of October 1st to 4th I I would be very glad to combine a visit at Berkeley in the Virus Laboratory (University of California) with an informal talk or discussion at Palo Alto. Therefore I also had written to Dr. Kornberg. Let me try to contact you and/or Dr. Kornberg in the time of September 27th to 30th. *by a call from New York*

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With my thanks for your attention

I remain sincerely yours

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